

NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

Primary Care Cooperative Agreement

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

Public Health Service Act, Section 333D,

Public Law 100-177

GRANT PROGRAM NO. 06-50-CHS

TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:

Cost-reimbursement Grants

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:

To assist members of the Primary Care Association in preparation of health professional shortage area applications, conduct primary care needs assessments, which are regional specific to Primary Care Association members' needs and also target Urban Coordinating Council (UCC) cities designated by the Department of Community Affairs. To assist in recruitment and retention of National Health Service Corps Providers specific to target member and UCC service areas. Continuous award is based on satisfactory progress.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:

The amount of award: Approximately \$84,000. The availability of funds for this grant, April 1, 2005 and March 30, 2006, is contingent on federal appropriation from the Bureau of Primary Health Care for Community Development activities.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants.
2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant.

GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

New Jersey Primary Care Association

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

Ability to coordinate the development and expansion of primary health care delivery system capacity with members and UCC cities. Knowledge of Division of Shortage Designation regulations and guidance.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

1. Contact the Office of Primary Care.
2. Prepare Grant Application.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

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DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED:

Application to be received by February 1, 2005.

DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:

Applicant notified by March 1 for grants starting April 1.